UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Plaintiff,

Case No. 18-cr-567 (VSB)

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CHRISTOPHER C. COLLINS, et al.,

Defendants.

DEFENDANT CHRISTOPHER COLLINS' WAIVER OF APPEARANCE FOR DECEMBER 18, 2018 STATUS CONFERENCE

Pursuant to Rule 43 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, Defendant Christopher Collins waives his right to be present in open court for the December 18, 2018 Status Conference.

Rep. Collins requests that the Court proceed on December 18, 2018 in his absence; agrees that his interests will be deemed represented by the presence of his attorneys, the same as if he were personally present; and further agrees to be present in Court ready for trial any date that the Court sets in his absence.

Rep. Collins further acknowledges that he has been informed of his rights under Title 18 U.S.C. §§ 3161-3174 (Speedy Trial Act), and authorizes his attorneys to set times and delays under the Act without being personally present.

Dated:

Washington, D.C.

December 11, 2018

Christopher Collins

I agree with and consent to my client's waiver of appearance.

Dated: Washington, D.C.

December 12, 2018

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SO ORDERED:

Dated: New York, New York

December 17, 2018

Vernon S. Broderick

United States District Judge